

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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SUBJECT: Representative Goyettes Meeting at
Woods Hole, September 25, 1981

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The meeting started at 10:50 (DEQE late) with a group of 80 attendees, mostly WHOI people. Goyette chaired. Each of the agenda listed, state agencies, made a brief presentation about work done to date, and proposed work to be funded as money becomes available.

EPA (Goldman, Bering, and Okun) made a detailed presentation of our role without discussing the details of any potentially litigious matter. Some initial steps towards a central coordination were attempted leaving most people in the fog as to whether DEQE or CZM was the lead agency.

Dick Thomas from Malcolm Pernie Inc. presented a brief overview of their work, and discussed disposal siting. DEQE stressed any work done in the harbor should be geared to yielding positive results - remedial action should equal clean lobsters.

Mayor Markey stressed the local impact of any remedial action may be more negative than the current state of affairs. He also agreed that any further discharges should cease.